

4 PLY



Cardigan

Measurements

To fit chest

56	61	66	71	76	cm
22	24	26	28	30	in

Actual size

62	66	73	78	83	cm
24½	26	28½	30½	32½	in

Finished length, including border

32	36	41	45	48	cm
12½	14	16	17½	19	in

Sleeve, measured down centre

26	30	34	38	42	cm
10	12	13½	15	16½	in

Quantities

Patons Classic Cotton 4 ply

4	4	5	6	7	50 gram balls
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or Patons Diploma Gold 4 ply

3	4	4	5	6	50 gram balls
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or Patons Beehive 4 ply

3	3	4	4	5	50 gram balls
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or Patons Pure Wool 4 ply

3	4	4	5	6	50 gram balls
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or Patons Knit 'n' Save 4 ply

2	2	2	2	3	100 gram balls
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Quantities of yarn are approximate as they are based on average requirements. Check actual yarn colour - as printing may not match yarn exactly.

RIGHT FRONT, BACK AND LEFT FRONT

(Worked in one piece to armhole)

With 3 ¼ mm needles, cast on 165 [177, 197, 209, 225] sts and starting with a K row, work in stocking st for 4 rows.

Patt thus:

Row 1 - (RS), K8, *yfwd, sL1K, K2tog, pssso, yfwd, K11*, rep from * to * once more, K17 [23, 33, 39, 47], rep from * to * 5 times, K17 [23, 33, 39, 47], rep from * to * once, yfwd, sL1K, K2tog, pssso, yfwd, K8.

Row 2 and every alt row - P.

Row 3 - K7, *yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso, K1, K2tog, yfwd, K9*, rep from * to * once more, K17 [23, 33, 39, 47], rep from * to * 5 times, K17 [23, 33, 39, 47], rep from * to * once, yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso, K1, K2tog, yfwd, K7.

Row 5 - K6, *yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso, yfwd, sL1K, K2tog, pssso, yfwd, K2tog, yfwd, K7*, rep from * to * once more, K17 [23, 33, 39, 47], rep from * to * 5 times, K17 [23, 33, 39, 47], rep from * to * once, yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso, yfwd, sL1K, K2tog, pssso, yfwd, K2tog, yfwd, K6.

Row 7 - K5, *(yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso) twice, K1, (K2tog, yfwd) twice, K5*, rep from * to * once more, K17 [23, 33, 39, 47], rep from * to * 5 times, K17 [23, 33, 39, 47], rep from * to * twice.

Row 9 - K4, *(yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso) twice, yfwd, sL1K, K2tog, pssso, yfwd, (K2tog, yfwd) twice, K3*, rep from * to * once more, K17 [23, 33, 39, 47], rep from * to * 5 times, K17 [23, 33, 39, 47], rep from * to * twice, K1.

Row 11 - K3, *(yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso) 3 times, K1, (K2tog, yfwd) 3 times, K1*, rep from * to * once more, K17 [23, 33, 39, 47], rep from * to * 5 times, K17 [23, 33, 39, 47], rep from * to * twice, K2.

Row 13 - As row 9.

Row 15 - As row 7.

Row 17 - As row 5.

Pair each Patons 2 ¾ mm (USA2) and 3 ¼ mm (USA3) needles. 8 buttons.

Tension

On 3 ¼ mm needles, 28 sts and 36 rows to 10 cm (stocking st).

It is important to check your tension before starting your garment. If there are too many stitches to 10 cm, your tension is tight and you should change to a larger size needle. If there are too few, your tension is loose and you should change to a smaller size needle.

Caution

It is essential to work to the stated tension, and we cannot accept responsibility for the finished product if any yarn other than the specified yarn is used.

Abbreviations

K=knit; P=purl; st=stitch; **stocking st**=1 row K, 1 row P; **tog**=together; **Inc**=increase by working into front and back of st; **dec**=decrease by working 2 sts together; **beg**=beginning; **alt**=alternate; **rep**=repeat; **cont**=continue; **meas**=measures; **foll**=following; **rem**=remain(ing); **RS**=right

side; **WS**=wrong side; **cm**=centimetres; **in**=inches; **mm**=millimetres; **sL1K**=slip 1 knitways; **yfwd**=yarn forward; **pssso**=pass slip st over; **patt**=pattern; **M1**=make a st by picking up horizontal loop lying before next st and working into back of it; **yrn**=yarn round needle.

U.S.A. Glossary

Cast off=bind off; tension=gauge; knit up=pick up and knit; stocking st=stockinette st; yarn forward, yarn over needle or yarn round needle=yarn over.

Instructions are given for the first size, with larger size(s) given in square brackets []. Where only one figure is given this applies to both (all) sizes.

Before starting to knit, read the instructions carefully and circle all figures relating to your size with a coloured pencil.

Classic Cotton 4 ply - Cuffs

As yarn made from Cotton or Cotton blends does not have natural elasticity, knitting-in or shirring elastic can be used to help retain the shape of cuffs.

Row 19 - As row 3.

Row 21 - As row 1.

Rows 23 and 25 - K7, *K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso, K9*, rep from * to * once more, K17 [23, 33, 39, 47], rep from * to * 5 times, K17 [23, 33, 39, 47], rep from * to * once, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso, K7.

Row 27 - K7, *K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso, K2*, rep from * to * twice more, K24 [30, 40, 46, 54], rep from * to * 9 times, K24 [30, 40, 46, 54], rep from * to * 3 times, K5.

Row 29 - K7, *K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso, K1, K2tog, yfwd, K3, yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso, K1*, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso, K26 [32, 42, 48, 56], rep from * to * 4 times, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso, K26 [32, 42, 48, 56], rep from * to * once, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso, K7.

Row 31 - K7, *K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso, K2, yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso, K1, K2tog, yfwd, K2*, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso, K26 [32, 42, 48, 56], rep from * to * 4 times, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso, K26 [32, 42, 48, 56], rep from * to * once, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso, K7.

Row 33 - K7, *K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso, K3, yfwd, sL1K, K2tog, pssso, yfwd, K3*, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso, K26 [32, 42, 48, 56], rep from * to * 4 times, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso, K26 [32, 42, 48, 56], rep from * to * once, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso, K7.

Row 34 - P.

Rows 23 to 34 form patt. Cont in patt until work meas 13 [16, 20, 23, 25] cm, ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape armholes

Next row - Patt 31 [34, 39, 42, 46], (leave these sts on a spare needle for Right Front), cast off 16 sts, keeping patt correct, patt 71 [77, 87, 93, 101] including st on needle after cast-off, (leave these sts on a spare needle for Back), cast off 16 sts, patt to end. Keeping patt correct, work straight on

these 31 [34, 39, 42, 46] sts for Left Front until armhole meas 9 [10, 10, 11, 12] cm, ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape neck

Next row - Patt 28 [31, 35, 36, 39], turn and slip rem 3 [3, 4, 6, 7] sts on a safety-pin. Keeping patt correct, dec 1 st at neck edge on next 8 rows (20 [23, 27, 28, 31] sts).

Work straight until armhole meas 14 [15, 16, 17, 18] cm, ending with RS facing. Cast off.

With WS facing, return to 31 [34, 39, 42, 46] sts on spare needle for Right Front and keeping patt correct, work to match Left Front, reversing shapings, working an extra row before shoulder cast-off.

With WS facing, return to 71 [77, 87, 93, 101] sts on spare needle for Back and cont in patt until Back matches Fronts to start of shoulder cast-off, ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape shoulders

Cast off 20 [23, 27, 28, 31] sts at beg of next 2 rows. Leave rem 31 [31, 33, 37, 39] sts on a spare needle.

SLEEVES

PANEL PATT (27 sts)

Row 1 - (RS), K.

Row 2 and every alt row - P.

Row 3 - K.

Row 5 - K5, *yfwd, sL1K, K2tog, pssso, yfwd*, K11, rep from * to * once, K5.

Row 7 - K4, *yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso, K1, K2tog, yfwd*, K9, rep from * to * once, K4.

Row 9 - K3, *yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso, yfwd, sL1K, K2tog, pssso, yfwd, K2tog, yfwd*, K7, rep from * to * once, K3.

Row 11 - K2, *(yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso) twice, K1, (K2tog, yfwd) twice*, K5, rep from * to * once, K2.

Row 13 - K1, *(yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso) twice, yfwd, sL1K, K2tog, pssso, yfwd, (K2tog, yfwd) twice*, K3, rep from * to * once, K1.

Row 15 - *(yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso) 3

times, K1, (K2tog, yfwd) 3 times*, K1, rep from * to * once.

Row 17 - K1, *(yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso) twice, yfwd, sL1K, K2tog, pssso, yfwd, (K2tog, yfwd) twice*, K3, rep from * to * once, K1.

Row 19 - K2, *(yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso) twice, K1, (K2tog, yfwd) twice*, K5, rep from * to * once, K2.

Row 21 - K3, *yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso, yfwd, sL1K, K2tog, pssso, yfwd, K2tog, yfwd*, K7, rep from * to * once, K3.

Row 23 - K4, *yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso, K1, K2tog, yfwd*, K9; rep from * to * once, K4.

Row 25 - K5, *yfwd, sL1K, K2tog, pssso, yfwd*, K11, rep from * to * once, K5.

Rows 27 and 29 - K4, *K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso*, K9, rep from * to * once, K4.

Row 31 - K4, (K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso, K2) 3 times, K2.

Row 33 - K4, *K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso*, K1, K2tog, yfwd, K3, yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso, K1, rep from * to * once, K4.

Row 35 - K4, *K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso*, K2, yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso, K1, K2tog, yfwd, K2, rep from * to * once, K4.

Row 37 - K4, *K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sL1K, K1, pssso*, K3, yfwd, sL1K, K2tog, pssso, yfwd, K3, rep from * to * once, K4.

Row 38 - P.

These 38 rows form panel patt.

Note Rows 1 to 38 to be worked once, then rep rows 27 to 38 only throughout.

With 2 ³/₄ mm needles, cast on 45 [47, 51, 53, 57] sts.

Rib row 1 - (RS), K1, *P1, K1; rep from * to end.

Rib row 2 - P1, *K1, P1; rep from * to end.

Rep these 2 rows for 4 [4, 5, 5, 5] cm, ending with row 1.

Increase row - Rib 2 [1, 3, 7, 6], *M1 (by picking up horizontal loop lying before next st and working into back of it), rib 6 [5, 5, 3, 3]; rep from * to last 1 [1, 3, 7, 6] sts, M1, rib to end (53 [57, 61, 67, 73] sts).

Change to 3 1/4 mm needles and patt, placing panel patt thus:

Row 1 - (RS), K13 [15, 17, 20, 23], panel patt as row 1, K13 [15, 17, 20, 23].

Row 2 - P.

These 2 rows set patt. Cont in patt as set, **working appropriate rows of panel patt**, shaping sides by inc 1 st at each end of 7th [7th, 7th, 9th] row (from beg of patt) and every foll 6th [6th, 6th, 6th, 8th] row until there are 71 [69, 79, 71, 89] sts, then on every foll 8th [8th, 8th, 8th, 10th] row until there are 75 [81, 89, 95, 101] sts, taking inc sts into stocking st.

Work straight until Sleeve meas 26 [30, 34, 38, 42] cm, ending with RS facing for next row. Place a marker at each end of last row.

Work a further 10 rows, thus ending with RS facing. Cast off **loosely**.

MAKE UP

Classic Cotton 4 ply, Diploma Gold 4 ply and Pure Wool 4 ply - Omitting ribbing, press lightly following instructions on the ball band.

Beehive 4 ply and Knit 'n' Save 4 ply - Omitting ribbing, press lightly under a **dry** cloth using a cool iron.

All yarns - Join shoulder seams. Place centre of cast-off edge of sleeves to shoulder seams, then sew Sleeves to Fronts and Back, sewing rows above markers to cast-off sts at armhole. Join sleeve seams.

Neck Border

With RS facing and 2 3/4 mm needles, starting at right front, K3 [3, 4, 6, 7] from safety-pin, **knit up 18 [18, 22, 22, 22] sts** up right side of neck, K31 [31, 33, 37, 39] from back, **knit up 18 [18, 22, 22, 22] sts** down left side of neck, then K3 [3, 4, 6, 7] from front (73 [73, 85, 93, 97] sts).

Rib row 1 - (WS), K1, *P1, K1; rep from * to end.

Rib row 2 - K2, *P1, K1; rep from * to last st, K1.

Rep these 2 rows for 3 cm, ending with row 1. Cast off in rib.

Button Border

With 2 3/4 mm needles, cast on 9 sts.

Row 1 - (RS), K2, (P1, K1) 3 times, K1.

Row 2 - K1, (P1, K1) 4 times.

Rep these 2 rows until Border, when slightly stretched, fits up Left Front to top of Neck Border, sewing in place as you go along. Cast off in rib.

Mark position of 8 buttons on Button Border with pins to ensure even spacing, first to come 1 cm up from lower edge, last to come in centre of Neck Border and remainder spaced evenly between.

Buttonhole Border

Work as Button Border with the addition of 8 buttonholes to correspond with pins on Button Border.

To make a buttonhole: (RS), rib 4, cast off 2, rib to end and back, casting on 2 over those cast off.

Lace Border

With 2 3/4 mm needles, cast on 10 sts and **patt** thus:

Row 1 - (RS), K3, (yfwd, K2tog) twice, yfwd, yrn, K2tog, K1.

Row 2 - K2, K into yrn, P into yfwd of

previous row, K2, (yfwd, K2tog) twice, K1.

Row 3 - K3, (yfwd, K2tog) twice, K1, yfwd, yrn, K2tog, K1.

Row 4 - K2, K into yrn, P into yfwd of previous row, K3, (yfwd, K2tog) twice, K1.

Row 5 - K3, (yfwd, K2tog) twice, K2, yfwd, yrn, K2tog, K1.

Row 6 - K2, K into yrn, P into yfwd of previous row, K4, (yfwd, K2tog) twice, K1.

Row 7 - K3, (yfwd, K2tog) twice, K6.

Row 8 - Cast off 3 sts, K4 (not including st on needle after cast-off), (yfwd, K2tog) twice, K1.

These 8 rows form patt.

Cont in patt until Border, when slightly stretched, fits from front edge of Buttonhole Border all round lower edge to front edge of Button Border, sewing in place with a flat seam as you go along, ending with row 8 of patt. Cast off.

Sew on buttons.

Classic Cotton 4 ply - After washing, while still damp, lay the garment flat on a towel and nudge it into perfect shape. Pay particular attention to the ribbing. Leave to dry flat and your garment comes up like new. (Ball bands carry general washing and aftercare instructions).

All yarns - Do not dry handknits in harsh sunlight as fading or yellowing may occur.

Classic Cotton 4 ply, Pure Wool 4 ply and Knit 'n' Save 4 ply - Do not tumble dry.

Diploma Gold 4 ply and Beehive 4 ply - You may tumble dry your garment with confidence in any domestic tumble dryer at temperatures of up to 60°C.



To help you keep your handknits looking their best, we recommend Dreft Automatic.

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